

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: BAILEY et al.

Attorney Docket No.: LAM1P130 P0566

Application No.: 09 536,000

Examiner: ALEJANDRO MULERO, L.

Filed: March 27, 2000

Group: 1763

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR VARYING A MAGNETIC FIELD TO CONTROL A VOLUME OF A PLASMA

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<u>AMENDMENT E TR</u>ANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	25	MINUS	25	0	x 9 =	x 18 = \$0
Independent Claims	2	MINUS	3	0	x 40 =	x 80 = \$0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$135.00	\$270.00
				Total	\$	\$0

Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.

Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required. Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. LAM1P130).

Enclosed is our Check No. 2358 in the amount of \$750.00 to cover the RCE filing fee.

Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. LAM1P130).

Respectfully submitted.

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<u>AMENDMENT E</u>

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 24, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 is attached following page 8 of this paper.